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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications
under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))

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First Named Inventor or
Application Identifier

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Title of
Invention

Optical Fiber Enclosure System Using Integrated Optical Connector and Coupler Assembly

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 32]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)

7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence
(if applicable, all necessary)

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy

b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
[] Pages

c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 30]
☐ Formal ☒ Informal
☒ Fig. of the Drawings for Publication [45]

4. ☐ Oath or Declaration/POA [Total Pages []]

- a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
[NOTE Box 5 below]

i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting
Inventor(s) named in the prior
application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2)
and 1.33(b).

5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a
copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is
considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying
application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)
☒ Assignee - Fiber Optic Network Solutions, Inc.

9. ☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement [] Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)

10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)

11. ☐ Information Disclosure [] Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations

12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)

14. ☐ Small Entity [] Statement filed in prior application,
Statement(s) status still proper and desired

15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)

16. ☐ Nonpublication Request (check parent application)

17. ☐ Other:

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

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Prior application information: Examiner:

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